(d) the locations of new proposed Guest Houses ?

THE MINISTER OF SURFACE TRANSPORT (SHRI T.G. VENKATRAMAN) : (a) The various Guest Houses/ Travellers Bungalows controlled by the Government in the State of Andhra Pradesh are spread throughout the state. These are controlled by various state Government Departments.

(b) to (d) This Ministry is concerned with the development and maintenance of National Highways. No proposals of the state of Andhra Pradesh are under consideration either for improvement or construction of new Guest Houses on the National Highways.

Badanalla Medium Irrigation Project

3097. SHRI GIRIDHAR GAMANG : Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Badanalla medium irrigation project of Orissa has not been completed for execution; and

(b) if so, the funds provided year-wise and component-wise since the commencement of the project ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI SIS RAM OLA) : (a) and (b) The Badanalla Medium Irrigation Project was started by the Government of Orissa in 1981-92. The latest estimated cost of the Project is Rs. 91.74 crores. The anticipated expenditure incurred on the project is Rs. 82.93 crores as per break up given below :-

	Rs. in Crores
Expenditure incurred upto 3/92	43.77
Expenditure incurred during 1992-93	7.85
Expenditure incurred during 1993-94	8.25
Expenditure incurred during 1994-95 (anticipated)	8.00
Expenditure incurred during 1995-96 (anticipated)	6.06
Outlay for 1996-97	9.00
	82.93

Brahmaputra Board

3098. SHRI UDDHAB BARMAN : Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state :

(a) whether Brahmaputra Board have formulated any master plans for the scientific water management in Assam and other North-East States;

(b) if so, the present status of these Master Plans;

(c) whether the expenditure involved in the implementation of the Master Plans has been updated;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) the measures taken/proposed to be taken in mobilise the resources for implementation of these Plans ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI SIS RAM OLA) : (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The Brahmaputra Board has drawn up Master Plan Part I for the mainstem of the Brahmputra river, Master Plan Part II for the river Barak and its tributaries and the Master Plan Part III covering 38 tributaries of the Brahmaputra and 8 rivers of Tripura. The Master Plans Part I and Part II has been approved by the Union Government. Other Master Plans were circulated to different concerned North Eastern States for their views and comments and on the basis of their comments modifications of Master Plans have been taken up by the Board.

(c) to (e) No, Sir. The estimated amounts as derived against various items of the Master Plans are indicative. The exact expenditure to this effect will be worked out at the implementation stage.

[Translation]

Flood Control in Gujarat

3099. SHRI RATILAL KALIDAS VERMA : Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state

(a) whether Members of Parliament, Government of Gujarat and various other institutions have been demanding for the last many years to the Union Government for the construction of a protection wall for protecting Saroda, Amlipara, Rawasa Villages etc, which are located on both sides of Ahmedabad and Sabarmati river which gets submerged during floods in Sabarmati river;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the time by when the protection wall is proposed to be constructed; and

(d) the details of the survey conducted to construct the wall and the estimated expenditure likely to be incurred on it ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI SIS RAM OLA) : (a) No, Sir.

(b) to (d) Do not arise.